

Application No.: 10/085,139

Docket No.: 22129-00005-US

REMARKS*Introduction*

Receipt of the Office Action mailed November 17, 2003 is acknowledged. The present amendment amends claims 1 and 8 to insert that the brazing sheet is capable of having a room temperature yield strength of at least about 111 MPa. Claim 1 is also amended to insert that the brazing sheet is peak aged. The peak aged feature was already recited previously in claim 8 so this feature wasn't added. Support for the amendments can be found throughout the specification and claims as originally filed and are being inserted at the suggestion of the Examiner during the interview held on December 16, 2003. No new matter has been added. Entry of the amendment and favorable reconsideration are earnestly solicited.

The Interview

Applicants gratefully acknowledge the courtesies extended to Applicants' representative during the interview on December 16, 2003. The content of the interview is accurately reflected on the interview summary record.

The Office Action

On page 2 of the Action, claims 1, 2, 4, 5, 7, 8, and 10-19 were rejected as allegedly being anticipated by Miller. It is respectfully submitted that in view of the instant amendments to claims 1 and 8, this rejection is now moot and should be withdrawn.

In view of the above, each of the presently pending claims in this application is believed to be in immediate condition for allowance. Accordingly, the Examiner is respectfully requested to pass this application to issue.

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Applicant believes no fee is due with this response. However, if a fee is due, please charge our Deposit Account No. 22-0185, under Order No. 22129-00005-US from which the undersigned is authorized to draw.

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